## Exhibit A

**Tribolet Declaration** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS HOUSTON DIVISION

In re:	Chapter 11
MINING PROJECT WIND DOWN HOLDINGS, INC. (f/k/a Compute North Holdings, Inc.), et al.,	Case No. 22-90273 (MI
Debtors. <sup>1</sup>	(Jointly Administered)

## DECLARATION OF MICHAEL TRIBOLET, MANAGING MEMBER OF TRIBOLET ADVISORS LLC, IN SUPPORT OF THE PLAN ADMINISTRATOR'S OBJECTION TO CLAIM NO. 10156 OF US DIGITAL MINING TEXAS LLC

- I, Michael Tribolet, hereby declare under penalty of perjury:
- 1. I am the Managing Member of Tribolet Advisors LLC, the court-appointed plan administrator (the "Plan Administrator")<sup>2</sup> in the above-referenced cases.
- 2. In my capacity as Plan Administrator, I am the main person responsible for winding down, dissolving, and liquidating the Debtors' estates. These responsibilities include managing

On September 28, 2023, the Court entered the Final Decree Closing Certain Cases and Amending Caption of Remaining Cases [Docket No. 1287], closing the chapter 11 cases of the following sixteen entities: Mining Project Wind Down Atoka LLC (f/k/a CN Atoka LLC) (4384); Mining Project Wind Down BS LLC (f/k/a CN Big Spring LLC) (4397); Mining Project Wind Down Colorado Bend LLC (f/k/a CN Colorado Bend LLC) (4610); Mining Project Wind Down Developments LLC (f/k/a CN Developments LLC) (2570); Mining Project Wind Down Equipment LLC (f/k/a CN Equipment LLC) (6885); Mining Project Wind Down King Mountain LLC (f/k/a CN King Mountain LLC) (7190); Mining Project Wind Down MDN LLC (f/k/a CN Minden LLC) (3722); Mining Project Wind Down Mining LLC (f/k/a CN Mining LLC) (5223); Mining Project Wind Down Pledgor LLC (f/k/a CN Pledgor LLC) (9871); Mining Project Wind Down Member LLC (f/k/a Compute North Member LLC) (8639); Mining Project Wind Down NC08 LLC (f/k/a Compute North NC08 LLC) (8069); Mining Project Wind Down NY09 LLC (f/k/a Compute North NY09 LLC) (5453); Mining Project Wind Down STHDAK LLC (f/k/a Compute North SD, LLC) (1501); Mining Project Wind Down Texas LLC (f/k/a Compute North Texas LLC) (1883); Mining Project Wind Down TX06 LLC (f/k/a Compute North TX06 LLC) (5921); and Mining Project Wind Down TX10 LLC (f/k/a Compute North TX10 LLC) (4238). The chapter 11 cases of the remaining three Reorganized Debtors: Mining Project Wind Down Holdings, Inc. (f/k/a Compute North Holdings, Inc.) (4534); Mining Project Wind Down LLC (f/k/a Compute North LLC) (7185); and Mining Project Wind Down Corpus Christi LLC (f/k/a CN Corpus Christi LLC) (5551), shall remain open and jointly administered under the above caption. The Reorganized Debtors' service address for the purposes of these chapter 11 cases is 2305A Elmen Street, Houston, TX 77019.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein have the meanings ascribed to them in the Objection (defined herein).

and overseeing the claims reconciliation and objection process, which involves the collective effort of myself; my counsel, including ASK LLP; my financial advisor, Grant Thornton LLP; and certain former employees of the Reorganized Debtors (collectively, the "Reviewing Parties"). In connection with my responsibilities, I assumed possession of and am generally familiar with the Debtors' books and records which reflect, among other things, the Debtors' liabilities and the amount thereof owed to their creditors both as of and subsequent to the Petition Date.

- 3. I have read the *Plan Administrator's Objection to Claim No. 10156 of US Digital Mining Texas LLC* (the "Objection").
- 4. To the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, the assertions made in the Objection are accurate. In evaluating Claim 10156 filed by claimant US Digital Mining Texas LLC ("Claimant"), I, in a collective effort with one or more of the Reviewing Parties under my supervision, thoroughly reviewed Claim 10156, the Debtors' books and records, Claim 10111, and the Stipulation.
- 5. In accordance with the Stipulation, Claimant's claims were resolved in exchange for the allowance of Claim 10111 as a general unsecured claim in the amount of \$1,401,544. The language in the Stipulation further provides for a release as to all other claims held by Claimant. Therefore, it appears that Claim 10156 was released and should be expunged from the claims register on that basis.
- 6. Alternatively, Claim 10156 appears to be duplicative of Claim 10111. Claims 10156 and 10111 rely on the same underlying contract and were filed in the same bankruptcy case. If Claim 10156 is not disallowed, Claimant would receive a double recovery to the detriment of similarly situated creditors.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the facts set forth in the foregoing declaration are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief

as of the date hereof.

Dated: December 23, 2023

/s/ Michael Tribolet

Michael Tribolet Managing Member Tribolet Advisors LLC, solely in its capacity as Plan Administrator

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